

# Olene S. Walker Transition to Adult Living Scholarship Fall Semester 2015–Spring Semester 2016 Reapplication Form

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Complete the following information:

Full Name (print):		
Address (print):		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone: (    )	E-mail Address:	
Date of Birth:	Gender (circle one): M    F	Marital Status:
WIA Employment Counselor (if applicable):		
Counselor Phone/E-mail:	Scholarship Mentor:	

1. Are you a U.S. citizen or a legal resident of the U.S.? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No
2. Are you a Utah resident? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No
3. Name the college, university, or training program you are attending: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Indicate your intended major \_\_\_\_\_ and degree \_\_\_\_\_
5. Identify all of the semesters you received TAL Scholarship funding and the number of credit hours you completed each semester.  
       \_\_\_\_\_ Fall    \_\_\_\_\_ Credit hours    \_\_\_\_\_ Spring    \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Hours
6. Were you placed on TAL Scholarship probation during any of the semesters for falling below a 2.0 GPA or for completing less than 70% of attempted classes? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
       If yes, please indicate the semester(s) \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do you qualify for federal aid (FAFSA) for 2015–2016? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
8. Check whether you plan to enroll:  
       \_\_\_\_\_ full-time (12 or more credits)    \_\_\_\_\_ ¾-time (9–11 credits)    \_\_\_\_\_ part-time (6–8 credits)
9. Please attach your school or college transcript showing classes, credit hours, and GPA.
10. Please attach to this application a **typed**, double-spaced personal statement of 1 to 2 pages. Your personal statement should accomplish the following:
  - Discuss your experiences as a TAL scholar, including your relationship with your mentor. Please share an experience you have had with your mentor or explain the influence your mentor has had on your education this past year. Are there any changes you would suggest to make the mentor program more helpful?
  - Discuss your experience with the requirement of providing service or being involved in extra-curricular activities, employment, or some other approved activity that supports your educational goals. What were the benefits and/or challenges of this requirement?
  - What has been your most difficult challenge while you have been enrolled in school?

- Please explain why your TAL Scholarship should be renewed. What have you learned from your experience this past year that will help you to be better prepared and more successful in the future?

Please read the statement below and sign on the line provided:

**I certify that the information I have provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I give permission for the information in this application to be shared with the scholarship committee, the institution where I have been accepted, and the mentor who will be assisting me. I also give permission for the scholarship representative to access my transcripts at any high school or higher education institution that I have attended or currently attend.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send the completed application and attached documents to:**

Jennifer Larson  
Division of Child and Family Services  
195 N 1950 W  
Salt Lake City, UT 84116

Contact Jennifer Larson 801-707-9734 or [JBLarson@utah.gov](mailto:JBLarson@utah.gov) if you have questions about completing this form. **Applications must be received by April 1, 2015 for the scholarship committee to consider renewing your scholarship for the 2016 school year.**

**Exclusions:** The scholarship will not provide funding for Study Abroad or Exchange Student Programs. No student seeking Double Majors or Double Bachelor's Degrees will receive scholarship funding without prior approval from the scholarship sponsor. Students seeking Double Majors must submit a written request to the scholarship administrator indicating why a double major is an essential part of their education plan. Any student requesting the scholarship for a Double Bachelor degree must submit a written request making a case as to why earning double bachelor's degrees is of critical importance in achieving the scholar's education objectives. Requests must be submitted at least a semester in advance of starting such a program.